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Dear Sir/Madam:

In accordance with 37 CFR 1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the following additional documents. A PTO Form SB/08 and a full copy of each of the documents required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) accompany this statement.

Applicant(s) have become aware of the following documents, cited in an European Search Report issued June 25, 2010, during the prosecution of European Application No. 0482129.7, which corresponds to the above referenced application, and hereby submit these documents for the Examiner's consideration. These documents are cited on the enclosed PTO Form SB/08, and a copy of the European Search Report and of each document required under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(2) cited thereon are enclosed as well. (Applicants also cite U.S. Patent Nos. 6,398,651 and 6,375,566, which correspond to European Patent Application Publication Nos. EP 1 036 580 A2 and EP 0 988 875 A2, respectively).

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